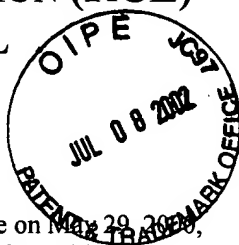


REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

BOX RCE

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 28, 2002, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995



Application Number	09/875,158
Confirmation Number	7273
Filing Date	June 07, 2001
First Named Inventor	Shinya WATANABE
Group Art Unit	1616
Examiner Name	B. Badio
Matter Number	Q64848
Title	PRODUCTION PROCESS OF CYCLOHEXENYL METHYL KETONES

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
 - i. ☒ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Previously filed
on June 7, 2002
 - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. ☒ Other Declaration Under 37 CFR 1.132 (filed on June 12, 2002)
- b. ☒ Enclosed
 - i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
 - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)
 - iv. ☒ Petition for Extension of Time
 - v. ☐ Other _____

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2. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ Months
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. FEES

A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$740.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY

Name Peter D. Olexy, P.C. Registration No. 24,513
 Signature  Date July 8, 2002